# Nancy Eveleth Todd, Ph.D.

Professor, Biology and Environmental Studies at Manhattanville College Purchase, NY, US

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#### **Biography**

Dr. Todd is a professor of biology and chairwoman of the environmental studies program. She is an expert on the evolution of proboscideans, has many consulting projects with various elephant researchers and the Smithsonian?s Museum of Natural History, and has travelled to countries in Africa and Europe studying fossil collections. Her undergraduate research program at Manhattanville focuses on aquatic toxicology, forensic ecology, animal behavior and dental microwear analysis of elephants. She teaches environmental studies, anatomy, and evolution classes in addition to a variety of other course topics. In collaboration with Dr. Wendy McFarlane, also in the Biology Department, she has turned her research attention to the island of Barbuda in the Caribbean, where they examine biodiversity, focus on human impact in island environments, and track the nesting behavior of endangered sea turtles. Dr. Todd is also the faculty advisor for the Upsilon Sigma Chapter of the Beta Beta Beta Biological Honor Society and advises students working on the Campus Sustainability Committee.

### **Industry Expertise**

Research, Education/Learning

## **Areas of Expertise**

Evolutionary Biology, The Living World, Environmental Ecology, Quarantine's Effects on Environment, Virtual Collaboration

#### **Affiliations**

Beta Beta Biological Honor Society: Faculty Advisor

#### **Education**

George Washington University Ph.D. Geobiology

George Washington University M.Phil. Geobiology

Bryn Mawr College B.A. Anthropology

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